

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF MARYLAND

Federal Trade Commission

Plaintiff,

v.

Innovative Marketing, Inc., *et al.*

Defendants.

AND

Maurice D'Souza

Relief Defendant.

Civil No. RDB-08-03233

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PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION

Plaintiff, the Federal Trade Commission (“FTC” or the “Commission”), pursuant to Section 13(b) of the Federal Trade Commission Act (“FTC Act”), 15 U.S.C. § 53(b), filed a Complaint for Injunctive and Other Equitable Relief, and applied *ex parte* for a Temporary Restraining Order and for an Order to Show Cause why a preliminary injunction should not be granted pursuant to Rule 65(b) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. On December 2, 2008, Judge Legg of the District Court of Maryland granted the FTC’s application and entered a Temporary Restraining Order and Order to Show Cause against Defendants Innovative Marketing, Inc., also d/b/a Billingnow, BillPlanet PTE Ltd., Globedat, Innovative Marketing Ukraine, Revenue Response, Sunwell, Synergy Software BV, Winpayment Consultancy SPC, Winsecure Solutions, and Winsolutions FZ-LLC; ByteHosting Internet Services, LLC; James Reno, d/b/a Setupahost.net, individually and as an officer of Bytehosting Internet Services, LLC; Sam Jain, individually and as an officer of Innovative Marketing, Inc.; Daniel Sundin,

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d/b/a Vantage Software and Winsoftware, Ltd., individually and as an officer of Innovative Marketing, Inc.; Marc D'Souza, d/b/a Web Integrated Net Solutions, individually and as an officer of Innovative Marketing, Inc.; Kristy Ross, individually and as an officer of Innovative Marketing, Inc; and Maurice D'Souza, Relief Defendant.

### **FINDINGS**

The Court has considered the pleadings, declarations, exhibits, and memoranda filed in support of the Commission's motion for a preliminary injunction and finds that:

1. This Court has jurisdiction over the subject matter of this case and there is good cause to believe that it will have jurisdiction over all parties hereto;
2. There is good cause to believe that the Defendants Innovative Marketing, Inc., also d/b/a Billingnow, BillPlanet PTE Ltd., Globedat, Innovative Marketing Ukraine, Revenue Response, Sunwell, Synergy Software BV, Winpayment Consultancy SPC, Winsecure Solutions, and Winsolutions FZ-LLC; ByteHosting Internet Services, LLC; James Reno, d/b/a Setupahost.net, individually and as an officer of Bytehosting Internet Services, LLC; Sam Jain, individually and as an officer of Innovative Marketing, Inc.; Daniel Sundin, d/b/a Vantage Software and Winsoftware, Ltd., individually and as an officer of Innovative Marketing, Inc.; Marc D'Souza, d/b/a Web Integrated Net Solutions, individually and as an officer of Innovative Marketing, Inc.; and Kristy Ross, individually and as an officer of Innovative Marketing, Inc. (the "Defendants"), have engaged in and are likely to engage in acts or practices that violate Section 5(a) of the FTC Act, 15 U.S.C. § 45(a), and that the Commission is therefore likely to prevail on the merits of this action;

3. There is good cause to believe that Relief Defendant Maurice D'Souza has received ill-gotten funds or otherwise benefitted from funds that are the proceeds of the Defendants' unlawful acts;
4. The evidence set forth in the Commission's Memorandum of Law in Support of *Ex Parte* Motion for Temporary Restraining Order and Order to Show Cause ("TRO Motion"), and the accompanying declarations, exhibits, and supplemental declarations demonstrates that the Commission is likely to prevail on its claim that Defendants have engaged in deceptive acts or practices in violation of Section 5(a) of the FTC Act by making deceptive representations in connection with the marketing, selling, and distribution of computer security products;
5. There is good cause to believe that the Defendants will continue to engage in such unlawful actions if not immediately enjoined from doing so by Order of this Court. There is also good cause to believe that immediate and irreparable damage to this Court's ability to grant effective final relief will result from the sale, transfer, or other disposition or concealment by the Defendants of their assets or business records, unless the Defendants are immediately enjoined by Order of this Court. Based on the evidence set forth in the Commission's TRO Motion and in the accompanying declarations and exhibits, the Commission is likely to be able to prove that Defendants have engaged in a concerted course of unlawful activity in connection with the deceptive marketing, selling and distribution of computer security software in violation of Section 5(a) of the FTC Act. Furthermore, based on the evidence cited in the TRO Motion, the Commission is likely to be able to prove that: (1) Defendants have gone to great lengths to hide from both law enforcement and defrauded consumers by using false contact information, fake identities and fictitious business names, and sham Internet advertising agencies to place their

deceptive advertisements; (2) the Defendants operate through a complex network of shell companies and bank accounts, most of which are located outside of the United States; (3) one of the Defendants, Sam Jain, has a history of evading service of civil process; (4) the Defendants moved their operations outside of the United States for the stated purpose of “escap[ing] regulation from the Federal Trade Commission and avoid[ing] State Attorneys who were sanctioning and shutting down similar organizations, as well as other civil liabilities from tens of thousands of dissatisfied end consumers;” and (5) Defendants have continued their unlawful operations unabated despite multiple private lawsuits and calls from the Internet security community to cease their injurious activity. Thus, there is good cause to believe that Defendants will continue to engage in attempts to conceal the scope of their unlawful actions to avoid returning their ill-gotten gains to consumers injured by their unlawful practices if not enjoined from doing so by Order of this Court;

6. There is good cause for the Court to continue the asset freeze against the Defendants and Relief Defendant Maurice D’Souza. Based on the evidence set forth in the TRO Motion, the Commission is likely to be able to prove that Defendants have generated significant revenues from activity that violates Section 5(a) of the FTC Act, including misrepresenting to consumers that they have scanned consumers’ computers and that those computers contain privacy or security threats. In addition, the Commission is likely to be able to prove that Relief Defendant Maurice D’Souza has likely received ill-gotten funds or otherwise benefitted from funds that are the proceeds of the Defendants’ unlawful acts. An asset freeze as to the Defendants and Relief Defendant Maurice D’Souza is necessary in order to preserve the possibility of complete and

meaningful relief in the form of consumer redress and/or disgorgement at the conclusion of this litigation;

7. Weighing the equities and considering the Commission's likelihood of ultimate success, a preliminary injunction halting the Defendants' unlawful conduct, continuing the freeze as to all of the Defendants' and the Relief Defendant's assets, preserving business records, and providing other equitable relief is in the public interest; and
8. Fed. R. Civ. P. 65(c) does not require security of the United States or an officer or agency thereof for the issuance of a restraining order.

## **DEFINITIONS**

For the purpose of this order, the following definitions shall apply:

1. **“Corporate Defendants”** means Innovative Marketing, Inc. (“IMI”), also d/b/a Billingnow, BillPlanet PTE Ltd., Globedat, Innovative Marketing Ukraine, Revenue Response, Sunwell, Synergy Software BV, Winpayment Consultancy SPC, Winsecure Solutions, and Winsolutions FZ-LLC; and any other d/b/a of Innovative Marketing, Inc.; ByteHosting Internet Services, LLC (“Bytehosting”); and their successors, assigns, affiliates, or subsidiaries.
2. **“Defendants”** means, individually, collectively or in any combination: (a) each Corporate Defendant; (b) each Individual Defendant; (c) any person insofar as he or she is acting in the capacity of an officer, agent, representative, servant, employee or attorney of the Corporate Defendants or any Individual Defendant; and (d) all persons or entities in active concert or participation with any of the foregoing who receive notice of this Order by personal service or otherwise. (Fed. R. Civ. P. 65(d)).
3. **“IMI Defendants”** means IMI, Billingnow, BillPlanet PTE Ltd., Globedat, Innovative Marketing Ukraine, Revenue Response, Sunwell, Synergy Software BV, Winpayment

Consultancy SPC, Winsecure Solutions, and Winsolutions FZ-LLC; and any other d/b/a of IMI; ByteHosting; James Reno, d/b/a Setupahost, individually and as an officer of Bytehosting; Sam Jain, individually and as an officer of IMI; Daniel Sundin, d/b/a Vantage Software and Winsoftware, Ltd., individually and as an officer of IMI; Marc D'Souza, d/b/a Web Integrated Net Solutions, individually and as an officer of IMI; Kristy Ross, individually and as an officer of IMI; and their successors, assigns, affiliates, or subsidiaries.

4. **“Relief Defendant”** means Maurice D’Souza.
5. **“Individual Defendants”** means James Reno, individually and through any d/b/a, Sam Jain, individually and through any d/b/a, Daniel Sundin, individually and through any d/b/a, Marc D’Souza, individually and through any d/b/a, Kristy Ross, individually and through any d/b/a.
6. **“Assets”** means any legal or equitable interest in, right to, or claim to, any real, personal, or intellectual property of any Corporate Defendant, Individual Defendant, or Relief Defendant or held for the benefit of any Corporate Defendant, Individual Defendant, or Relief Defendant wherever located, including, but not limited to, chattel, goods, instruments, equipment, fixtures, general intangibles, effects, leaseholds, contracts, mail or other deliveries, shares of stock, inventory, checks, notes, accounts, credits, receivables (as those terms are defined in the Uniform Commercial Code), cash, and trusts, including but not limited to any other trust held for the benefit of any Corporate Defendant, Individual Defendant, or Relief Defendant, any Individual Defendant’s or Relief Defendant’s minor children, or any Individual Defendant’s or Relief Defendant’s spouse.
7. **“Document”** is synonymous in meaning and equal in scope to the usage of the term in the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 34(a), and includes writing, drawings, graphs, charts, Internet sites, Web pages, Web sites, electronic correspondence, including e-mail and instant messages,

photographs, audio and video recordings, contracts, accounting data, advertisements (including, but not limited to, advertisements placed on the World Wide Web), FTP Logs, Server Access Logs, USENET Newsgroup postings, World Wide Web pages, books, written or printed records, handwritten notes, telephone logs, telephone scripts, receipt books, ledgers, personal and business canceled checks and check registers, bank statements, appointment books, computer records, and other data compilations from which information can be obtained and translated. A draft or non-identical copy is a separate document within the meaning of the term.

8. A **“Host” or “Hosting Company”** is the party that provides the infrastructure for a computer service. With respect to web pages and web sites, a Host or Hosting Company maintains “Internet servers” – the computers on which web sites, web pages, Internet files, or resources reside. The Host or Hosting Company also maintains the communication lines required to link the server to the Internet. Often, the content on the servers (*i.e.*, content of the web pages) is controlled by someone other than the Host or Hosting Company.
9. **“Affiliate marketer” or “sub-affiliate marketer”** means any person who provides or has provided defendants with assistance in marketing, advertising, distributing, downloading, or installing software code or other goods or services on behalf of the IMI Defendants.
10. **“Affiliate program”** is an arrangement under which the IMI Defendants pay or offer to pay another (“the affiliate”) to market, advertise, distribute, download or install software code or other goods or services on behalf of the IMI Defendants, with the affiliate being paid based on performance measures, including but not limited to the number of software code installations or downloads.

## **PROHIBITED BUSINESS ACTIVITIES**

### **I.**

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** that, in connection with marketing and distributing computer software security products, the Defendants are preliminarily restrained and enjoined from directly or indirectly misrepresenting, expressly or by implication, that: (1) a computer scan or any other type of remote or local computer analysis has been performed, including but not limited to claims that a computer has been scanned or otherwise analyzed for viruses, spyware, pornography, or system errors; or (2) security or privacy problems have been detected on a computer, including but not limited to claims that a computer contains viruses, spyware, pornography, or system errors.

### **II.**

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** that, in connection with marketing and distributing computer software security products, the Defendants are preliminarily restrained and enjoined from concealing or attempting to conceal their identities by, among other things:

- A. Using any domain names that have been registered using false or incomplete information; and
- B. Claiming that they place advertisements on behalf of, or otherwise represent, individuals or entities, unless they possess written authorization to represent such individuals or entities.

## **SUSPENSION OF WEB SITES**

### **III.**

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the Defendants, any party hosting webpages or websites for any Defendant, and any domain registrar who has provided domain name registration services for any Defendant or pursuant to any agreement between any Defendant and third party, are preliminarily

restrained and enjoined from failing to:

- A. Immediately take whatever steps may be necessary to ensure that webpages or websites operated, in whole or in part, by the Defendants cannot be accessed by the public; and
- B. Prevent the destruction or erasure of the webpages or websites operated, in whole or in part, by the Defendants, preserving such documents in the format in which they are currently maintained, and prevent the destruction or erasure of all records relating to the Defendants.

#### **ASSET FREEZE**

#### **IV.**

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the Defendants and the Relief Defendant are hereby preliminarily restrained and enjoined from:

- A. Transferring, liquidating, converting, encumbering, pledging, loaning, selling, concealing, dissipating, disbursing, assigning, spending, withdrawing, granting a lien or security interest or other interest in, or otherwise disposing of any funds, real or personal property, accounts, contracts, consumer lists, shares of stock, or other assets, or any interest therein, wherever located, that are: (1) owned or controlled by the IMI Defendants or Relief Defendant, in whole or in part, for the benefit of the IMI Defendants or Relief Defendant; (2) in the actual or constructive possession of the IMI Defendants or Relief Defendant; or (3) owned, controlled by, or in the actual or constructive possession of any corporation, partnership, or other entity directly or indirectly owned, managed, or controlled by any IMI Defendant or the Relief Defendant, including, but not limited to, any assets held by or for, or subject to access by, any of the IMI Defendants or the Relief Defendant, at any bank or savings and loan institution, or with any broker-dealer, escrow agent, title company, commodity trading company, precious metals dealer, or other financial institution or depository of any kind;
- B. Opening or causing to be opened any safe deposit boxes titled in the name of any IMI

Defendant or Relief Defendant, or subject to access by any of them;

C. Incurring charges or cash advances on any credit card issued in the name, singly or jointly, of any IMI Defendant or the Relief Defendant;

D. Obtaining a personal or secured loan titled in the name of any IMI Defendant or the Relief Defendant, or subject to access by any of them; and

E. Incurring liens or other encumbrances on real property, personal property, or other assets in the name, singly or jointly, of any IMI Defendant or the Relief Defendant.

F. The Assets affected by this Paragraph shall include existing Assets of any Corporate Defendant, Individual Defendant, or Relief Defendant and Assets acquired after the effective date of this Order that are derived from conduct prohibited in Paragraphs I and II.

#### **FINANCIAL REPORTS AND ACCOUNTING**

**V.**

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that, if they have not done so already in compliance with the temporary restraining order previously issued in this matter, each Individual Defendant, the Relief Defendant, and each Corporate Defendant, shall serve upon counsel for the Commission, no later than three (3) business days of receiving notice of this Order, completed financial statements, verified under oath and accurate as of the date of entry of this Order, on the forms provided as Attachment A for individuals and Attachment B for businesses to the *Ex Parte* Temporary Restraining Order, signed under penalty of perjury.

#### **RETENTION OF ASSETS AND RECORDS BY FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS**

**VI.**

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that any financial or brokerage institution, business entity, or

person served with a copy of this Order that holds, controls, or maintains custody of any account or asset of any Corporate Defendant, Individual Defendant, or the Relief Defendant, or has held, controlled or maintained custody of any such account or asset at any time since the date of entry of this Order, shall:

A. Hold and retain within its control and prohibit the withdrawal, removal, assignment, transfer, pledge, encumbrance, disbursement, dissipation, conversion, sale, or other disposal of any such asset except by further order of the Court;

B. Deny any Defendant access to any safe deposit box that is:

1. titled in the name of any Corporate Defendant, Individual Defendant, or the Relief Defendant, individually or jointly; or

2. otherwise subject to access by any Corporate Defendant, Individual Defendant, or Relief Defendant;

C. Provide the Commission's counsel, within five (5) business days of receiving a copy of this Order, a sworn statement setting forth:

1. the identification number of each such account or asset titled in the name, individually or jointly, of each Corporate Defendant, each Individual Defendant, and Relief Defendant, or held on behalf of, or for the benefit of each Corporate Defendant, each Individual Defendant, and Relief Defendant;
2. the balance of each such account, or a description of the nature and value of each such asset as of the close of business on the day on which this Order is served, and, if the account or other asset has been closed or removed, the date closed or removed, the total funds removed in order to close the account, and the name of the person or entity to whom such account or other asset was remitted; and
3. the identification of any safe deposit box that is titled in the name, individually or

jointly, of each Corporate Defendant, each Individual Defendant, and the Relief Defendant or is otherwise subject to access by a Corporate Defendant, an Individual Defendant, or Relief Defendant; and

D. Upon request by the Commission, promptly provide the Commission with copies of all records or other documentation pertaining to each such account or asset, including but not limited to originals or copies of account applications, account statements, loan applications, signature cards, checks, drafts, deposit tickets, transfers to and from the accounts, all other debit and credit instruments or slips, currency transaction reports, 1099 forms, and safe deposit box logs. Any such financial institution, account custodian, or other aforementioned entity may arrange for the Commission to obtain copies of any such records which the Commission seeks.

## **FOREIGN ASSET ACCOUNTING**

### **VII.**

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that, if they have not done so already in compliance with the temporary restraining order previously issued in this matter, each Corporate Defendant, each Individual Defendant, and Relief Defendant shall, no later than three (3) business days after notice of this Order:

A. Provide the Commission with a full accounting, verified under oath and accurate as of the date of this Order, of all funds, documents, and assets outside of the United States which are: (1) titled in the name, individually or jointly, of any Corporate Defendant, Individual Defendant, or Relief Defendant; or (2) held by any person or entity for the benefit of any Corporate Defendant, Individual Defendant or Relief Defendant; or (3) under the direct or indirect control, whether jointly or singly, of any Corporate Defendant, Individual Defendant, or Relief Defendant; and

B. Provide the Commission access to all records of accounts or assets of each Corporate Defendant, Individual Defendant, and Relief Defendant held by financial institutions located outside the

territorial United States by signing the Consent to Release of Financial Records attached to the *Ex Parte* Temporary Restraining Order as Attachment C.

### **INTERFERENCE WITH THIS ORDER**

#### **VIII.**

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the Defendants and Relief Defendant are hereby preliminarily restrained and enjoined from taking any action, directly or indirectly, which may result in the encumbrance or dissipation of foreign assets, including but not limited to:

- A. Sending any statement, letter, fax, e-mail or wire transmission, telephoning or engaging in any other act, directly or indirectly, that results in a determination by a foreign trustee or other entity that a “duress” event has occurred under the terms of a foreign trust agreement; and
- B. Notifying any trustee, protector or other agent of any foreign trust or other related entities of the existence of this Order, or that an asset freeze is required pursuant to a Court Order, until such time that a full accounting has been provided pursuant to Paragraph VII of this Order.

### **ACCESS TO BUSINESS RECORDS**

#### **IX.**

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that, if they have not done so already in compliance with the temporary restraining order previously issued in this matter, the Corporate Defendants, the Individual Defendants, and the Relief Defendant shall allow the Commission’s representatives, agents, and assistants access to the Corporate Defendants, Individual Defendants, and Relief Defendant’s business records to inspect and copy documents. Accordingly, the Corporate Defendants, Individual Defendants, and Relief Defendant shall, within forty-eight (48) hours of receiving notice of this Order, produce to the Commission and the Commission’s representatives, agents, and assistants for inspection, inventory,

and/or copying, at Federal Trade Commission, 600 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Room H-288, Washington DC 20580, Attention: Ethan Arenson, the following materials: (1) all customer information, including, but not limited to, names, phone numbers, addresses, email addresses, customer complaints, and payment information for all consumers who have purchased the IMI Defendants' software; (2) contracts; (3) correspondence, including, but not limited to, electronic correspondence and Instant Messenger communications, that refer or relate to the IMI Defendants' software products; (4) an electronic copy of all advertisements for the IMI Defendants' software, including, but not limited to, any advertisement that purports to scan or otherwise analyze the computer upon which it is displayed; (5) accounting information, including, but not limited to profit and loss statements, annual reports, receipt books, ledgers, personal and business canceled checks and check registers, bank statements, appointment books, copies of federal, state or local business or personal income or property tax returns, and 1099 forms; and (6) an electronic copy of each computer software product marketed by the IMI Defendants since 2002.

*Provided, however,* this Paragraph excludes any record or other information pertaining to a subscriber or customer of an electronic communications service or a remote computing service as those terms are defined in the Electronic Communications Privacy Act, 18 U.S.C. § 2703(c).

The Commission shall return produced materials pursuant to this Paragraph within five (5) business days of completing said inventory and copying.

#### **COMMENCEMENT OF DISCOVERY**

**X.**

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that pursuant to Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 30(a), 31(a), 34, and 45, and notwithstanding the provisions of Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 26(d) and (f), 30(a)(2)(A)-(C), and 31(a)(2)(A)-(C), the parties are granted leave, at any time after entry of this Order

to commence discovery.

### **PRESERVATION OF RECORDS**

#### **XI.**

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the Defendants are hereby preliminarily restrained and enjoined from destroying, erasing, mutilating, concealing, altering, transferring, writing over, or otherwise disposing of, in any manner, directly or indirectly, any documents or records of any kind that relate to the business practices or business or personal finances of any of the Corporate Defendants, Individual Defendants, and Relief Defendant, including but not limited to, computerized files and storage media on which information has been saved (including, but not limited to, floppy disks, hard drives, CD-ROMS, zip disks, punch cards, magnetic tape, backup tapes, and computer chips), and any and all equipment needed to read any such material, contracts, accounting data, correspondence, advertisements (including, but not limited to, advertisements placed on the World Wide Web or the Internet), FTP logs, Service Access Logs, USENET Newsgroup postings, World Wide Web pages, books, written or printed records, handwritten notes, telephone logs, telephone scripts, receipt books, ledgers, personal and business canceled checks and check registers, bank statements, appointment books, copies of federal, state or local business or personal income or property tax returns, and other documents or records of any kind that relate to the business practices or business or personal finances of any of the Corporate Defendants, Individual Defendants, or Relief Defendant.

### **IDENTIFICATION OF AFFILIATES**

#### **XII.**

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that, if they have not done so already in compliance with the temporary restraining order previously issued in this matter, the Corporate Defendants and Individual Defendants shall, within five (5) days of notice of this Order, prepare and deliver to the Commission a

completed statement, verified under oath and accurate as of the date of entry of this Order, identifying by name, address, phone number, and any affiliate code of all affiliate marketers, sub-affiliate marketers, agents, vendors, hosting companies, employees, and contractors that have worked with the IMI Defendants in connection with the distribution of the IMI Defendants' computer security software products.

### **IDENTIFICATION OF PRODUCTS AND WEB SITES**

#### **XIII.**

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that, if they have not done so already in compliance with the temporary restraining order previously issued in this matter, the Corporate Defendants and the Individual Defendants shall, within five (5) days of notice of this Order, prepare and deliver to the Commission a completed statement, verified under oath and accurate as of the date of entry of this Order, identifying: (1) the name of each computer security software product marketed and/or sold by the IMI Defendants since 2002; and (2) the URL and hosting facility for all websites associated with these products, including but not limited to any webpage controlled by the IMI Defendants that purports to scan consumers' computers for security or privacy threats.

### **RECORD KEEPING/BUSINESS OPERATIONS**

#### **XIV.**

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the IMI Defendants are hereby preliminarily restrained and enjoined from:

- A. Failing to create and maintain documents that, in reasonable detail, accurately, fairly, and completely reflect their incomes, disbursements, transactions, and use of money; and
- B. Creating, operating, or exercising any control over any business entity, including any partnership, limited partnership, joint venture, sole proprietorship, or corporation, without first providing

the Commission with a written statement disclosing: (1) the name of the business entity; (2) the address and telephone number of the business entity; (3) the names of the business entity's officers, directors, principals, managers and employees; and (4) a detailed description of the business entity's intended activities.

#### **DISTRIBUTION OF ORDER BY DEFENDANTS**

##### **XV.**

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the IMI Defendants shall immediately provide a copy of this Order to each affiliate marketer, sub-affiliate marketer, affiliate, subsidiary, hosting company, division, sales entity, successor, assign, officer, director, employee, independent contractor, client company, agent, attorney, and spouse of each Individual Defendant, each Corporate Defendant, and Relief Defendant. Within five (5) calendar days following service of this Order by Plaintiff, the IMI Defendants shall file with this Court and serve on Plaintiff, an affidavit identifying the names, titles, addresses, and telephone numbers of the persons and entities served with a copy of this Order in compliance with this Paragraph.

#### **SERVICE OF ORDER**

##### **XVI.**

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that copies of this Order may be served by any means, including facsimile transmission, upon any financial institution or other entity or person that may have possession, custody, or control of any documents of any Individual Defendant, Corporate Defendant, or Relief Defendant, or that may otherwise be subject to any provision of this Order. Service upon any branch or office of any financial institution shall effect service upon the entire financial institution.

#### **CONSUMER CREDIT REPORTS**

**XVII.**

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that, pursuant to Section 604(1) of the Fair Credit Reporting Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1681b(1), any consumer reporting agency may furnish a consumer report concerning each Corporate Defendant, each Individual Defendant, and the Relief Defendant to the Commission.

**SERVICE UPON THE COMMISSION**

**XVIII.**

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that, with regard to any correspondence or pleadings related to this Order, service on the Commission shall be performed by overnight mail delivery to the attention of:

Ethan Arenson  
Colleen Robbins  
Carmen Christopher  
Federal Trade Commission  
600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW  
Washington, DC. 20580  
202-326-2204, 2548, 3643 (telephone)  
202-326-3395 (facsimile)  
earenson@ftc.gov; crobbins@ftc.gov; cchristopher@ftc.gov

**RETENTION OF JURISDICTION**

**XIX.**

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that this Court shall retain jurisdiction of this matter for all purposes.

**SO ORDERED**, this 12<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2008, at 4:25 p.m.

  
R. L. D. Bennett  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE